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: Ruth S. Smith

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

VIA FACSIMILE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination of the aboveidentified application. Authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$795.00) per §1.17(e).

Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ per §1.116.

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[]	A Petition for Extension of Time for month(s) is
	hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a);
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REMARKS

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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